Loans and grants given to J & K

518. SHRI KRISHAN LAL SHARMA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that during 1993-94, 90% of the Central assistance to Jammu and Kashmir was in the shape of grants and 10% as loan whereas it was 30% grants and 70% loans in case of Bihar, Tamil Nadu, Rajasthan and U.P. States;

(b) break-up of the total assistance as loan and grant given to Jammu and Kashmir so far as compared to these States;

(c) whether Government propose to revise trend of assistance to J & K; and

(d) if so, whether the total amount given to J & K is commensurate with the development level achieved in the State?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (SHRI BHUVNESH CHATURVEDI): (a) During 1993-94 pattern of Central assistance to J & K was in the form of 90% grant and 10% loan as for all special category States. For the non-special category States pattern of Central assistance in 1993-94 was in the form of 30% grant and 70% loan.

(b) A Statement is enclosed *(see below)*.

(c) There is no proposal for the present to revise the existing pattern of central assistanc.

(d) Yes, Sir.

Statement

Statement showing the break-up of normal Central assistance provided to the various States during 1993-94

	J & K		Bihar		Tamil Nadu		Rajasthan		U.P.	
	Loan	Grant	Loan	Grant	Loan	Grant	Loan	Grant	Loan	Grant
I. Central Assistance										
(i) Normal Central Assistance	76.94	692.45	609.95	261.41	374.00	160.29	264.63	113.41	751.49	322.07
(ii) Central Assitance for EAP	0.79	7.08	17.42	7.46	351.64	150.70	106.36	45.58	221.26	94.83
TOTAL	77.73	699.53	627.37	268.87	725.64	310.99	370.99	158.99	972.75	416.90

CPWD's policy regarding transfer and posting

519. DR. RANBIR SINGH: Will the Minister of URBAN AFFAIRS & EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any posting and transfer policy in vogue in the C.P.W.D.;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether some Junior Engineers and Assistant Engineers have been permitted to continue in a particular enquiry/station for more than five/ten years;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the steps taken to follow the posting and transfer policy strictly without favour or bias?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI R.K. DHAWAN) (a) Yes, Sir. There are

general policy guidelines governing postings/transfers in various grades in CPWD.

(b) The general policy guidelines are laid down in CPWD Manual Vol. I (1992 edition) Chapter IV Administration Section 8 Transfers. Besides, the following orders have also been issued by the Department supplementing/ ubstituting the existing Manual provisions with regard to postings/ transfers in various grades:

(i) No. 28/6/93-EC-III dated 25.11.94;

(ii) No. 28/6/93-EC-III dated 18.4.95;

(iii) No. A-22015/55/91-EC-VI dated 10.4.92;

(iv) No. A-22015/36/92-EC-VI dated 28.5.92;

(v) No. A-22015/33/95-EC-VI dated 11.9.95.

Copies of orders mentioned above are in the statement *(see below)*

(c) There are cases whee some Assistant Engineers/Junior Engineers have been given retention in a particular unit/Station either in the exigencies of work or on compassionate personal grounds. However, the general policy guidelines governing postings/transfers in the above grades are always kept in view.

(d) As on 31.3.95, 258 Assistant Engineers and 468 junior Engineers have been continuing in Delhi for more than 10 years. 80 Assistant Engineers and 379 Junior Engineers have been continuing in the same unit in Delhi for more than 5 years.

(e) There is no favour or bias in implementing the posting and transfer policy. Specific complaints/ representations are, however, examined and remedial action, whenever called for, taken.

STATEMENT

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF WORKS
CENTRAL PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

No. 28/6/93. EC. III — New Delhi, dt: 25.11.94

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Posting/Transfers in the grade of Assistant Engineers (Civil/Elect.)-Guidelines.

The guidelines governing posting/transfers in the grade of Assistant Engineer (Elect./ Civil) are laid down in the CPWD Manual Volume. I (Staff, Establishment, Organisation and Office Procedure), 1992 edition. The following additions are made to the existing guidelines:

1. Subject to exigencies of work and as far as possible, Assistant Engineers (Civil/ Elect.) are to be rotated between field and planning post on completion of the periods of 4 years and 3 years respectively. Posting for less than one year in non-field post between 2 field postings will not be considered as a break in field service. The posting in field consists of Maintenance/Construction/Central Store and CDO Laboratory whereas Planning consists of Planning Units of Circles and Divisions, Quality Control Units, CDO and Valuation.

2. Postings/transfers at the following places will be considered as postings/transfers in Bombay and Calcutta respectively:

Bombay - Posting at New Bombay/Thane/Vashi will be treated as posting in Bombay.

Calcutta - Posting at Barrackpur & Kalyani will be considered as posting in Calcutta.

The C.P.W.D. Manual Volume. I stands amended to the above extent.

SD/-
(S.C. GUPTA)
DY. DIRECTOR OF ADMN. II.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF WORKS
CENTRAL PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

No. 28/6/93. EC. III New Delhi, dt: 18.4.94

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Posting/Transfers in the grade of Assistant Engineers (Civil/Elect.)-Guidelines.

In continuation of this Directorate's OM of even No. dated 25.11.94 on the above cited subject, it is hereby further notified that for the purpose of posting/transfer in the grade of Assistant Engineers (Civil/Elect.)

The CPWD Manual Vol. 1 stands amended to the above extent.

SD/-
(S.C. GUPTA)
DY. DIRECTOR OF ADMN. II.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF WORKS
CENTRAL PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

No. A-22015/55/91. EC. VI New Delhi, dt: 10.4.1992

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Revised guidelines in effecting the transfer/posting of Junior Engineer (Civil/ Elect.) in CPWD.

The undersigned is directed to say that the review of the guidelines of transfer/posting of the Junior Engineers (Civil/Elect.) as mentioned in para-10, Section-8, Chapter-V of the CPWD Manual Vol. I (1986 Edition) has been undertaken by this Directorate keeping in view the pending demand of CPWD Junior Engineers Association (I). Therefore, after having considered the matter very carefully, the revised guidelines of the transfer/posting of Junior Engineers (Civil/Elect.) have been framed and the same are circulated for information of all concerned.

These guidelines will be operative with effect from the date of issue of this Office Memorandum.

Superintending Engineers (Coordination) are requested to effect transfer/posting of Junior Engineers (Civil/Elect.) from the readiness last in accordance with revised guidelines.

This issues in supersession of all the earlier guidelines/instructions issued from time to time, in this regard.

SD/-
(MAHENDER KUMAR)
DY. DIRECTOR OF ADMN.

Annexure to Office Memorandum No. A-22015/55/91-EC-VI dated 10.4.1992.

REVISED GUIDELINES IN EFFECTING THE TRANSFER/POSTING OF JUNIOR ENGINEERS (CIVIL/ELECT.) IN CPWD.

(a) The normal period of continuous stay of Junior Engineers shall be 4 years at all stations except Delhi where the period of normal stay will be 10 years. The period of stay for hard areas will be two years.

(b) (i) For transfer and posting, there will be two groups i.e. (i) Field (ii) Non-field (Planning). Posting will be made in the field for 8 years and in Planning for 3 years. Field consists of Maintenance, Construction, Central Store and CDO Laboratory; Planning consists of Planning Units. CDO, Valuation Units and Security Duty in Central Stores.

(ii) Junior Engineers completing three years in Planning will be transferred, against senior most Junior Engineers in the field.

(iii) The maximum stay in the same post i.e., some Division or Unit shall not be more than 4 years. Maximum stay in Central Stores at a time shall not be more than 4 years.

(iv) Postings less than 2 years in Planning between the postings in Field will not be considered as a break.

(c) The period spent on deputation or on leave will be treated as a period of stay at the station from where the Junior Engineer proceeded on deputation/leave.

(d) Length of continuous stay in Field or Planning shall be counted considering the posts held both in Delhi and outside.

(e) Ghaziabad and Faridabad are not regarded as separate stations for Tenure Transfer Rules and those JEs who have completed a combined term of 10 years in Delhi Complex consisting of Delhi, Ghaziabad and Faridabad shall be deemed to have completed the tenure of 10 years in Delhi.

(f) Options of Junior Engineers who are interested for posting in Planning or to continue in Planning beyond 3 years will be accepted, except when the JE is due for posting outside Delhi. However, after completion of 4 years he will be shifted to a different Planning Office.

(g) The annual transfer orders, including transfers from Delhi to outside and vice versa normally be issued around the months of March-April. readiness lists in this respect will be issued before that. Contingencies of transfers during the course of the year shall, however, remain considering the exigencies of work and requirements of filling up of vacancies arising from time to time another exceptional circumstances.

(h) The transfer orders will be made man-to-man as far as possible except when the posting is for filling up of new vacancies.

(i) The Junior Engineers after completing their tenure in hard areas/Border Fencing Works will be posted to station of their choice as far as possible.

(j) All Executive Engineers/Superintending Engineers will ensure that posting/transfer orders issued by Superintending Engineer (Coord) are complied immediately. The Junior Engineer who is to move first should be relieved within one month. All cases where there is delay may be brought to the notice of EC-VI Section of this Directorate.

(k) The Superintending Engineer (Coord) may effect transfers before completion

of the period of normal stay at any station, if the transfer becomes necessary due to (i) opening to new Circle/Division and (ii) repatriation of Junior Engineers from deputation in large numbers.

In all other cases the permission of the DG(W) will be necessary for relaxing the normal period of stay.

(l) The DG(W) shall have full didcretion to make transfer from one Region to another subject to the condition that a Junior Engineer shall be eligible for making nearest for Inter-Regional. Transfer only after 2 years of his posting in a particular Region and subject to availability of vacancies.

(m) Period of foreign assignment will be treated as posting at the station from which the official proceeded on foreign assignment, as per the latest instructions.

(n) The Junior Engineers who have already completed 32 years of age shall not generally be posted to hard areas.

(o) In the case of partial deviation from the transfer Rules for any reason (to be recorded in writing), prior approval of the DG(W) should be obtained.

(p) In cases where the individual feels that his case of hardships regarding transfer and posting has not been fully understood, he can represent to the Chairman of Hard Case Committee as per guidelines issued vide DG(W), CPWD Office Memorandum No. A-22019/1-91-EC-VI dated 12.6.91. However representation to Hard Case Committee will not be a ground for delay in relief.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF WORKS
CENTRAL PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

No. A-22015/36/92-EC-VI New Delhi, dt. 28/5/1992.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:— Implementation of transfer/posting orders—Modification/revision of transfer/posting orders in respect of Group 'C' employees of CPWD Subordinate services.

It has been decided at the level of DG(W) that transfer/posting orders for all Group 'C' employees once issued by Superintending Engineers, Coordination Circles should not subsequently be modified by them, In case, any modification/change or cancellation is necessitated in respect of Group 'C' posts including Junior Engineers (Civil/Elect), such modification/change/cancellation should be done after seeking prior approval of ADG (S&P) by the Superintending Engineer (Coord) (Civil) and Superintending Engineer (Coord) (Elect), New Delhi - Similarly Superintending Engineers (Coord), Calcutta, Bombay & Madras may obtain the prior approval of the Chief Engineer (EZ), Chief Engineer (WZ) & Chief Engineer (SZ) respectively before such transfer/posting orders are modified, or changed or cancelled.

Sd/-
(SUNIL MOHAN DAS)
DY. DIRECTOR OF ADMN.

No. A-22015/33/95-EC-VI

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF WORKS
CENTRAL PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

New Delhi, dt 11/9/1995.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:— Guidelines for effecting the posting/transfer of Junior Engineers (Civil/Elect.) CPWD.

The undersigned is directed to say that the revised guidelines for effecting the posting/transfer of Junior Engineers (Civil/Elect.) in CPWD were issued vide this Directorate's O.M.No. A-22015/55/91-EC-VI dated 10.4.92. These guidlines have been reviewed and it has been decided with the approval of DG(W) that the posting in valuation Units and Appropriate Authority may continue to be treated as posting in Planning, but it should be specified that normally no extension will be granted beyond the period of three years except with the approval of ADG/DG(W). Further, second posting in Valuation Units/ Appropriate Authority should be considered only after expiry of a period of four years which is the normal posting tenure outside Delhi.

Sd/-
(B.B. SINGH)
DY. DIRECTOR OF ADMN.

सामाजिक-शैक्षिक विकास केन्द्र, पथराही, बिहार

520. **श्री रामदेव भण्डारी:** क्या ग्रामीण क्षेत्र और रोजगार मंत्री 25 मई, 1995 को राज्य सभा में अतारांकित प्रश्न संख्या 7368 के दिये गये उत्तर को देखेंगे और यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) उपर्युक्त तीन-सदस्यीय जांच समिति के उन सदस्यों के नाम क्या हैं जिन्होंने पूर्व में भी संबंधित संस्था का मूल्यांकन/जांच करने का कार्य किया था;

(ख) क्या जांच समिति ने उपर्युक्त प्रश्न के उत्तर में उल्लिखित सभी पहलुओं की जांच कर ली है;

(ग) क्या "कापार्ट" ने समिति की रिपोर्ट की समीक्षा कर ली है; और

(घ) यदि हां, तो इस संबंध में की जा रही कार्यवाही का ब्यौरा क्या है?

ग्रामीण क्षेत्र और रोजगार मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (ग्रामीण विकास विभाग) (श्री उत्तम भाई एच० पटेल: (क) जांच समिति के तीन सदस्यों में से पूर्व में केवल पटना के एक सदस्य श्री आर०एल० दीवान ने सामाजिक शैक्षणिक विकास केन्द्र, पथराही जिला मधुबनी बिहार का मूल्यांकन जांच की थी।

(ख) जी, हां।

(ग) जी, हां।

(घ) कापार्ट ने इस संगठन को अब आगे वित्त पोषण बन्द करने का निर्णय लिया है।

National Blindness Control Programme

521. SHRI BHAGABAN MAJHI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the year of launching the National Blindness Control Programme;

(b) the states where the Blindness Control Programme has been launched;

(c) whether Government have made any review on the implementation of the Programme; and

(d) if so, the extant of success achieved under the Programme in different States?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A.R. ANTULAY): (a) National Blindness Control Programme was launched during the year 1976.

(b) Sir, the programme is being implemented all over the country.

(c) Yes, Sir. The programme has been reviewed during the year 1986—89. A mid-term review was also undertaken during the year 1989. Quarterly review meetings are being held on regular basis for the last three years.

(d) A statement showing performance of cataract operations from 1992—1995 Statewise is laid on the Table of the House.